

12. You Have God's Spirit

Romans 5:5 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit **who was given to us**.

John 14:17 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, **for He dwells with you and will be in you**.

John 16:7 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, **I will send Him to you**.

John 16:13 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, **He will guide you into all truth**; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come.

Acts 1:8 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - But you shall **receive power** when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

Galatians 5:16 (NKJV) - I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh.

13. Victorious

1 Corinthians 15:57 (NKJV) - But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

14. A citizen of heaven

Philippians 3:20 (NKJV) - For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ,

15. God's Possession

2 Corinthians 6:16 (AMP) - What agreement is there between the temple of God and idols? For we are the temple of the living God; just as God said: "I will dwell among them and walk among them; And I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

You are the ones God aims to spend eternity with.

16. A Royal Priest

1 Peter 2:9 (NKJV) - But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people...

You have immediate access to God—you don't need another human priest as a mediator. God Himself provided the one Mediator between God and man, Jesus Christ.

17. An ambassador for Christ

2 Corinthians 5:20 (NKJV) - Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ...

18. You have a glorious future

Romans 8:18 (NKJV) - For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

God says you are...

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1. Designed with *intentionality*. You were ON PURPOSE!

Psalm 139:13, 14, 16, 17, 18 (NKJV) - For You formed my inward parts; You covered me in my mother's womb. I will praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made; Marvelous are Your works, And that my soul knows very well. Your eyes saw my substance, being yet unformed. And in Your book they all were written, The days fashioned for me, When as yet there were none of them. How precious also are Your thoughts to me, O God! How great is the sum of them! If I should count them, they would be more in number than the sand; When I awake, I am still with You.

2. Created in the image and likeness of God!

Genesis 1:26 (NKJV) – Then God said, “Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness;...”

God created us in His image and *that is who He is looking for!*

3. In Christ, you Have a New Identity!

The *moment* you accept Jesus, you have a whole new identity! The *moment* you accepted Christ, you walked out of Adam and you walked into Christ! In Christ, you are a brand new race. In Him, you are a brand new creation! You have a new nature, a new seed, a new DNA from God!

Ephesians 2:10 (NLT) - For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.

The word *created* in Ephesians 2:10 that is the same word used in **Genesis 1:1** where God **created** the heavens and the earth. He used that same *creative power* to fashion your new spirit man! There never has been, nor never will be again, someone like you. You are unique, specifically fashioned by a wondrous God!

4. Chosen

Ephesians 1:4 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) – just as He **chose** us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love, Christ “chose us” out of the world to *bring us into Himself!*

1 Peter 2:9 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) – But you are a **chosen** generation...

1 Peter 2:4 (NKJV) - Coming to Him as to a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God and precious...

He was *chosen* by God; *that is* what made Him precious; *that is* what determined His worth.

5. Adopted

Ephesians 1:5 (NKJV) – having predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will, He predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself...

Adoption means leaving one family and joining another, leaving behind all that was involved in the first family and **assuming the name, identity, resources, and history** of another. We have left the family of Adam and when we are in Christ, we belong to a new family, the family of Jesus Christ. We've been transferred into a new family, and we have received a new identity.

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6. Graciously favored

Ephesians 1:6 (NKJV) - to the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He made us accepted in the Beloved.

7. Redeemed

Ephesians 1:7 (AMP) - In Him we have redemption [that is, our deliverance and salvation] through His blood, [which paid the penalty for our sin and resulted in] the forgiveness and complete pardon of our sin, in accordance with the riches of His grace
Redeemed means to be free from captivity; free from sin and the penalty of sin!

8. Forgiven

Ephesians 1:7 (AMP) - In Him we have redemption [that is, our deliverance and salvation] through His blood, [which paid the penalty for our sin and resulted in] the forgiveness and complete pardon of our sin, in accordance with the riches of His grace

9. Delivered

Colossians 1:13-14 (NLT) - For he has rescued us from the kingdom of darkness and transferred us into the Kingdom of his dear Son, who purchased our freedom and forgave our sins.

10. An heir and a joint heir of Jesus Christ.

Romans 8:16-17 (AMP) - The Spirit Himself testifies and confirms together with our spirit [assuring us] that we [believers] are children of God. And if [we are His] children, [then we are His] heirs also: heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ [sharing His spiritual blessing and inheritance], if indeed we share in His suffering so that we may also share in His glory.

11. Secure-Sealed by the Holy Spirit

Ephesians 1:13 (NKJV, Bold added for emphasis) - In Him you also trusted, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, **you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise,**

Sealing means that God owns us and will keep us. We are utterly secure in Christ.

Romans 8:39 (AMP) - nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, will be able to separate us from the [unlimited] love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

John 10:29 (NKJV) - My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father's hand.

Hebrews 13:5 (AMP) - Let your character [your moral essence, your inner nature] be free from the love of money [shun greed—be financially ethical], being content with what you have; for He has said, “I will never [under any circumstances] desert you [nor give you up nor leave you without support, nor will I in any degree leave you helpless], nor will I forsake or let you down or relax My hold on you [assuredly not]!”

He will **never** leave us nor forsake us.